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#### RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed July 10, 2000, transmitted herewith along with the appropriate fee(s) are:

- [X] A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.
- [X] Five (5) original executed Declarations;
- [X] Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status
- [X] Power of Attorney by Assignee (with copy of Assignments attached)
- [X] Petition to Extend Time for Three Months
- [X] Filing Fees

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the filing fees for this application to Deposit Account No. 50-1283 as follows:

\$355.00 Application Filing Fee (Small Entity);

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<u>Conditional Petition for Extension of Time</u>. An extension of time is requested to provide for timely filing <u>if</u> an extension of time is still required after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered.

[X] EXCEPT for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1283. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).

This response is submitted in duplicate.

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### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

### FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
   Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
   A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

• The balance due by applicant is \$ 820.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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